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PLANT PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:



Transmitted herewith for filing is the Plant Patent Application of Alain A. Meilland for FLORIBUNDA ROSE PLANT NAMED 'MEINUSIAN'.

Enclosed are:

[X] 1 sheet of [X] formal [] informal drawing(s). (IN DUPLICATE			
[] A claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. 119/365 in			
[] a separate document [] the declaration.			
[] A certified copy of the priority document.			
[] An Associate Power of Attorney.			
[X] 1 verified statement(s) of small entity status.			
[X] Assignment Document. (Two Assignments)			
[] A Preliminary Amendment.			
The declaration of the inventor(s) [X] is enclosed. [] will follow			

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Respectfully submitted,

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